

ORDER NUMBER SJ-2012-02
USE OF VEHICLES OVER RESTRICTED BRIDGES
San Juan National Forest

Pursuant to Title 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(b), the following acts are prohibited on National Forest System Roads within the San Juan National Forest, in Dolores, La Plata, San Juan, Hinsdale, Mineral and Archuleta Counties in the State of Colorado. The Restricted Roads listed in Attachment A and shown on attached map are hereby incorporated into this order. The purpose of this order is to protect public health and safety and prevent damage to government property.

PROHIBITIONS on the Restricted Roads:

1. Operating a vehicle in violation of speed, load, weight, length, width or other limitations as posted on National Forest System Roads listed in Attachment A and shown on attached map (the Restricted Roads).
- 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(d).

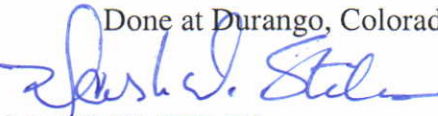
EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 261.50(e), the following are exempt from this order:

1. Persons with a Forest Service permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
2. Any Federal, State or local officer or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
- a. EXCEPTION – This exemption does not apply to posted load limitations and they must meet posted load limitations unless specifically authorized by the Forest Service.

This Order shall remain in effect until rescinded, or until December 31, 2014, whichever event occurs first.

Done at Durango, Colorado this ^{17th day of April} ~~19th~~ day of March 2012. *MWS*


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Violations of this prohibition are punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by fines of not more than \$5,000 for an individual per count or \$10,000 per count for an entity other than an individual, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. (16 U.S.C. 551, 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559 and 3571).

Attachment A. List of Restricted Bridges						
San Juan National Forest						
<u>Road #</u>	<u>Mile Post</u>	<u>Road Name</u>	<u>Bridge Name</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Location (N.M.P.M.)</u>	<u>Load Rating Restriction (Tons)</u> <u>Type 3, 3S2, 3-3 Vehicle</u>
Mancos-Dolores Ranger District Bridges						
532	4.3	Cottonwood	Mavreoso Creek	Dolores	T40N, R13W, Sec.36	19T, 30T, 30T
Pagosa Ranger District Bridges						
631	19.6	Piedra	Williams Creek	Hinsdale	T37N, R3W, Sec.9	40T for 3-3 Vehicle only
648	0.4	West Fork	Wolf Creek	Mineral	T37N, R1E, Sec.16	25T, 39T, 41T
Columbine Ranger District Bridges						
585	1.0	South Mineral	Mineral Creek	San Juan	T41N, R8W, Sec.11	22T, 35T, 35T
603	0.5	East Vallecito	Vallecito Spillway	La Plata	T36N, R6W, Sec.18	11T, 28T, 28T
613	12.4	Fossett Gulch	Ignacio Creek	Archuleta	T33N, R5W, Sec.10	24T, 38T, 38T
671	0.9	Haviland Lake	Haviland Spillway	La Plata	T38N, R9W, Sec.25	26T, 41T, 42T